

Holy Rosary Catholic Community

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Parish Office Hours

Tuesday - Thursday:

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Friday: 9:00 a.m. -12:00 Noon

Our Lord's Day Liturgies

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Summer - Sunday Mass 10:00 a.m.

Weekday Mass

Tuesday-Friday 8:00 a.m.

Confession

Saturday 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Catholic Funeral Rites

Contact Holy Sepulchre Cemetery

905-522-7727 or visit their website at:

www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

New Parishioners

We welcome you. Please complete a
Registration Form in the book rack.

Contact us

Parish Office 905-634-7441

Fax 905-634-6264

Email: hrosary@cogeco.net or

holyrosaryburlington@hamiltondiocese.com

Website: www.holyrosaryburlington.com

Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary,
Pray for us.



Holy Rosary was formed out of portions of the Cathedral parish in Hamilton, St. John's, Burlington and St. Thomas, Waterdown. Father Bernard Harrigan was the first Pastor and the first Mass was celebrated on July 6, 1947 in the chapel of Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Holy Rosary School was built in 1951. Under the leadership of Father Blake Ryan (1953-1964) a new Church and rectory were built. The 400 seat church was dedicated on May 1, 1955. In 1987, during the pastorate of Father Anthony Ciavarro, the church was redesigned with a 180 degree rotation. Beautiful stained glass, statuary, and sculpture adorn the renewed space. Other pastors who served the parish were: Msgr. Bernard Harrigan, Father Blake Ryan, Father Harold Smith, Father Carlo Bianchi, Father Anthony Ciavarro, Father Ron Cote, Father Frank Trzupsek, Msgr. Murray Kroetsch, Msgr. Edward House and the present pastor, Father Martin Valley. Today there are over 600 registered families.

Welcome to Holy Rosary Catholic Community. We hope you enjoyed your Lord's Day worship.



Mass Intentions This Week
(8:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted)

Join us to pray the Rosary before Mass. **Rosary starts at 7:30 a.m.**

Tues. May 1	Luigi Mancini
Wed. May 2	Margita Ocenasova
Thurs. May 3	Feast of St. Philip & St. James Barry Troy
Fri. May 4	Ida & Chinnasamy Arokiyam
Sat. May 5 @ 5:00 pm	Anna Cupido Mary Holko Danilo Trevisan

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS/EVENTS

Tuesday 12:45 pm – Seniors' Bridge – Parish Centre
Wednesday 7:00 pm – Quest Small Group Bible Study – Library
Thursday 1:00 pm – Craft Club – Parish Centre 7:30 pm – Choir Practice – Parish Centre
Friday 8:00 am – 8:00 pm – 12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care
Next Sunday (May 6) After 9 & 11 am Mass – Rosary Bracelets for sale 11:00 am – May Crowning at Mass 12 noon – CWL High Tea & Fashion Show



Wear your favourite hat!



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE
HIGH TEA & FASHION SHOW – Sun. May 6th

Join us for the **May Crowning at 11:00 a.m. Mass**, followed by our **High Tea and Fashions by**

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of Burlington Mall. Tickets are \$20 each. Sign up board on the table in the Narthex. You will be able to sign up by table...this means that you must list the names of your friends at the same table! We'll do our best to accommodate everyone. Call Susan 905-521-9445 for info.

Also on Sunday...ROSARY BRACELETS FOR SALE

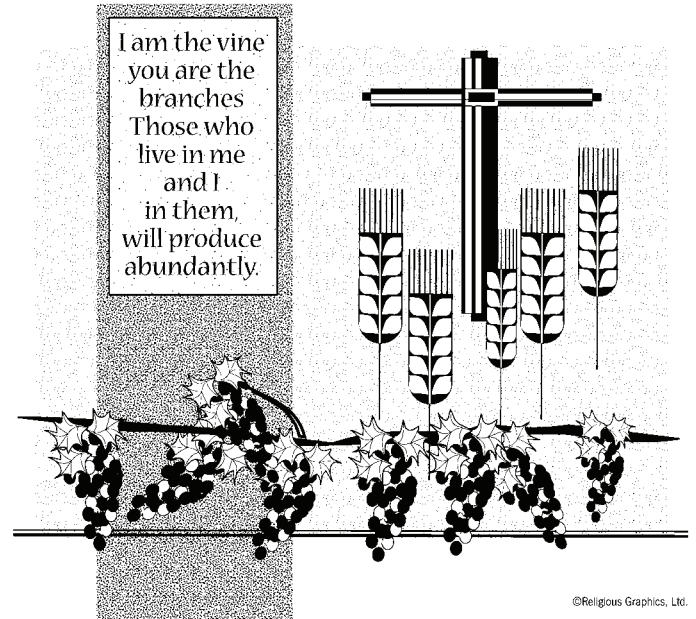
Sun. May 6th after 9 & 11 a.m. Masses we have Rosary bracelets for sale in the Heritage Room. Proceeds go to Canadian Food for Children, a most worthy charity. All workers are volunteers, and food, medicine, clothes, etc. are all donated. They work with the Missionaries and the poorest people in Africa, Central & South America and the Philippines.



Fifth Sunday of Easter

April 29, 2018

Sing a new song to the Lord!



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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for the Sixth Sunday of Easter is:

John 15.9-17

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

We thank you for your continued spiritual and financial support of Holy Rosary Parish.

April 22nd Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Loose Collection	Pre-Authorized Debit
\$5,285.	\$425.	\$1,605.

Next weekend our special collection for the **Pope's Pastoral Works** supports the Pope's Pastoral Services as Head of the Church and contributes to his works of charity.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. April 30	Rev. Chris Buda, C.R.
Tues. May 1	Rev. Jim Wahl, C.R.
Wed. May 2	Religious of the Sacred Heart of Jesus (R.S.J.C.)
Thurs. May 3	Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R.
Fri. May 4	Rev. Jim Donohue, C.R.
Sat. May 5	Very Rev. Murray McDermott, C.R.



HOLY ROSARY CRAFT CLUB

Calling all ladies! Are you interested in joining us on Thursday afternoons from 1 to 4 p.m. for a few hours filled with laughter, good conversation and coffee, while sewing, knitting or crafting? We're always looking for new and fresh ideas of items we can make for sale at our annual Bell Bazaar. Come and share your ideas while you learn new skills, or teach us some of yours! Need a ride? We provide! For more information, call Carol Morosin at 905-525-1426.

THANK YOU TO OUR KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Yet again, you have come to our aid! Some of our Knights have been busy bees, painting and doing some plumbing and repairs in the Parish Centre and Rectory. The Heritage and Library rooms are freshly painted, and a new floor to go in the Library in May, we hope! Thank you so much gentlemen, for your volunteer hours and the ways you care for our church and community gathering space.

THE FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE – For anyone 50+

Join us in the Holy Rosary Parish Centre the first Thursday of each month. Next meeting: **Thursday, May 3rd** from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Meet new friends, enjoy conversation and help plan group activities. No cost. For more info email: blueheron123@sympatico.ca or call Gary at 289-337-1239.

SEEING THE WORD – THURSDAY, MAY 3RD

You are invited to ignite your spiritual imagination, praying with *The Saint John's Bible*, using the method of *visio divina* ("divine seeing"), to prayerfully reflect upon Scripture. The session from 1:30-3:30 pm will focus on Wisdom Woman in the Scriptures. Contact Anthony De Feo at the Liturgy office adefeo@hamiltondiocese.com to attend or for more info.

PRIESTHOOD ORDINATIONS – SAT. MAY 5TH

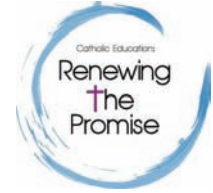
Please join us at 11:00 a.m. for the Ordination to the Priesthood of Deacons Grayson Hope, Christopher Tracey and Tim Theriault. Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. All are welcome.

FAITH BEGINS IN THE FAMILY – THURS. MAY 10TH

"The family is the community in which, from childhood, one can learn moral values, begin to honor God, and make good use of freedom. Family life is an initiation into life in society. (CCC #2207)" Join us for a workshop on Pope Francis' Apostolic Exhortation: *Amoris Laetitia*, . at St. Matthew's Parish Oakville from 7–9 pm. Call Teresa at 905-528-7988 ext. 2250 or you can register online at: hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/amoris-laetitia/



May 6 - 11, 2018
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Catholic Education Week 2018 begins next Sunday, May 6. The Catholic schools in our parish will engage in a series of events to celebrate the ongoing gift of publicly-funded Catholic education. You are invited to discover what celebrations are happening in your children's school and if possible, attend. Publicly-funded Catholic education has existed in Ontario since 1841 and its graduates have served Ontario and Canada very well. The current generation of students in our publicly-funded Catholic schools will serve with the same spirit and generosity as their previous generations. Please pray for our Catholic schools.



THURSDAY, MAY 10TH

The Burlington Knights of Columbus have arranged transportation to Ottawa by coach bus for this peaceful Pro-Life march. Reserve your seat today by emailing Ewart Harris at: Ewart.Harris@KofC.org or call 416-559-4071. Bus leaves St. Gabriel Parish at 6:00 am to Ottawa, arriving home approximately 10:00 pm in Burlington. \$35 / person.

MARRIAGE IS GOOD FOR YOUR HEALTH!

Take some time for your marriage relationship and spend a day learning about *The Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work*, a program by Dr. John Gotman. Facilitated by Teresa Hartnett and Dr. Wendy Hofman. **Sat. May 12th from 10 to 4** at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W. Cost is \$40/couple and includes lunch. Register by calling 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or at www.hamiltondiocese.com see **Upcoming Events** on the home page.

Cross of Victory Pilgrimage 2018 ALL YOU CAN EAT PASTA FUNDRAISER DINNER

Join us **Sat. May 12th**, after 5 pm Mass at St. John the Baptist Parish Hall Burlington for all you can eat, in support of this annual walking pilgrimage at the Martyrs' Shrine in Midland. Tickets at door: \$12/adult, \$6/child under 10 yrs. <https://sites.google.com/site/2018crossofvictorypilgrimage>

"BE" 2018 YOUTH RALLY – SAT MAY 26TH

Don't miss out on the annual Diocesan Youth Rally taking place at Camp Brebeuf, Rockwood. **Register before April 30th** to be included in an Early Bird Prize Pack draw! Registration \$20 pp. For info call Nicole in the Office of Youth Ministry 905-528-7988 ext. 2245 or visit the website at: www.hamiltondiocese.com/youthrally

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